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MIDDLEBURY DEFEATS R. P. I. 31 TO 0.

Lynch, Bower, Bresnahan, and Pollard Feature in the Game.

With every man on the team showing excellent form, Middlebury defeated R. P. I. 31-0, Saturday, October 28. in a game which R. P. I. had anticipated as an easy one with the light Middlebury eleven. In spite of the one-sided score, the game was an interesting one to watch. The home team played an aggressive game which the visitors were unable to withstand and although the latter have proved a worthy match in former games and presented a formidable defense Saturday, it was of no avail against the superb team work of the Midd eleven.

Capt. Lang at center and Horsford at guard, two of Middlebury's best men were out of the game with slight injuries, but in spite of this handicap, the line opened great holes, which were found for substantial gains by the backfield. Lynch, Bower, Pollard and Bresnahan made brilliant gains for Middlebury and quarterback Parker while in the game ran the team well. Bower, who has had hard luck with injuries, showed his old-time form. A word of commendation is due the linemen who all played a good game.

Middlebury had little difficulty in making two touchdowns the first quarter, but in the second R. P. I. tightened up and Midd narrowly escaped being scored on. In the third quarter, Middlebury scored one touchdown and piled up two more in the last. R. P. I. was fairly successful in the use of the forward pass and Middlebury seemed to lack a proper defense for breaking this up.

The game opened with Lockman of R. P. I. kicking to Midd's 20 yd. line, Pollard running the ball back ten yds. and gaining 4 yds. more on the next play. Lynch failed to gain but Bresnahan went through for five yds. Lynch gained six yards and first down, and repeated with a ten yard gain. Parker gained three yards and Bresnahan twenty-seven yards in a spectacular end run. Lynch made seven yards and then one. Pollard made two yards and the ball was on R. P. I.'s five yard line. Midd then lost the ball on a fumble.

R. P. I.'s quarterback kicked to Bresnahan, who ran back ten yards. A fumble by R. P. I. was recovered by Pollard, who ran forty yards for a touchdown. Lynch failed to kick the goal. Midd 6, R. P. I. 0.

Middlebury kicked to R. P. I.'s forty yard line and Potter ran back five yards. Mayberry gained three yards and then kicked to Bresnahan who carried the ball fifteen yards. Lynch's twenty-five yard gain through right guard was not allowed, Midd being penalized fifteen yards for holding. Parker gained twelve yards on a quarter-back run and Lynch made five more. Midd failed to gain and Parker kicked to Mayberry, who car-

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MIDDLEBURY 20, NORWICH 7.

Large Crowd Watches the Most Interesting Home Game of the Season.

Middlebury defeated Norwich University Saturday afternoon, November 4, in a thrilling game enlivened by unexpected turns of fortune. Both teams strove their hardest for victory, and the result was a contest which gripped the interest of the crowd to the end. The most sensational features of the play were a well-placed forward pass of thirty-six yards, Bowers to Pollard; a brilliant fifty-yard run by McDonald of Norwich; and a clever bit of work by Good in getting possession of the ball, which was fumbled by Norwich, and rushing it to within four yards of the goal line.

Ogsten, the Norwich quarterback, was disabled at the outset, and was replaced by Martin, who proved to be one of Norwich's strongest men. MacDonald and Bishop also starred for the visitors, while Bowers, Lynch and Good made notable gains for the home team. All credit is due to every member of the team for the pep which was manifested.

At the opening whistle Middlebury kicked off to Norwich, who received the ball near their ten-yard line, and by short line plunges, and a run of seventeen yards by MacDonald, advanced the ball 34 yards. They were then penalized five yards for offside. On the fourth down they attempted a forward pass, which was broken up. The ball went to Middlebury, who carried it forward fifteen yards by a series of short rushes, and then, by a neatly executed forward pass of thirty-six yards, Bowers to Pollard, scored the first touchdown. Lang kicked the goal, making the score 7-0.

Norwich again received the ball on their ten-yard line, and failing to make their distance, punted twenty yards to Lang. Middlebury lost five yards through fumbling, and was forced in turn to punt. The ball changed hands in this manner two or three times until finally MacDonald, receiving a punt, made his spectacular fifty-yard run and scored the visitors' only touchdown. McIver kicked the goal, making the score 7–7. No further scores were made during the first quarter.

In the second quarter, after a series of short line plunges, Pollard punted the ball over Norwich's goal line, aud it was put into play on their twenty-yard line. Norwich failed to make their distance, and bo ted the ball thirty-five yards to Bresnahan. Bowers made nine yards on an end run, but on the next play the same distance was lost through fumbling, and Middlebury was compelled to punt. Norwich failed to gain, was penalized five yards for offside, and punted thirty-five yards to Bresnahan, but regained possession of the ball on a fumble. Bower was injured and replaced by Parker, who incurred a penalty of twenty yards for communicating with a player before reporting. In the next play Norwich fumbled, Good picked up the ball and carried it to within four yards of the goal line. Lynch carried it over for the second touchdown, and Lang missed the goal. The half ended sson afterward, score 13–7.

In the second half Canty was replaced by Reynolds, and Hard by Randall. Norwich kicked the ball forty yards to Bresnahan, who ran it back for the same distance. An attempted forward pass failed. Middlebury was penalized five yards for offside, and punted. Again the ball changed hands a number of times. Finally Good intercepted a forward pass, and carried it forward ten yards. A series of short plunges took it within four yards of the goal line, where Middlebury lost it by a fumble, and the quarter ended with the ball in the possession of Norwich.

The final touchdown was made by Bowers toward the end of the last quarter. Lang kicked the goal; making the score 20--7.

The game was much more exciting and interesting than the score would indicate, amply fulfilling the statement made in advertising the game that it was the "annual Yale-Harvard game of Vermont." Both teams played a fast and aggressive game throughout, many forward passes being tried by both teams, but with no great success. The last period was a punting contest with Middlebury getting the better of it due to the good work of Pollard.

On the same day U. V. M. met defeat at the hands of the strong Brown team at Providence by the decisive score of 42-0. This week while Middlebury is playing New Hampshire State College at Durham, Vermont and Norwich will clash at Northfield. Norwich is confident of a win and the result is awaited with great interest in Middlebury. New Hampshire State defeated the badly disabled Norwich team by a score of only 13-7, so our men are confident that Middlebury will again be victorious this week Saturday.

None of our men received serious injuries in last weeks' game, altho Anderson received a severe cut over his eye. Consequently Middlebury expects to be ready to enter the Vermont game with every man in first class condition and to bring home that victory for which we have waited so long.

The line-up:

NORWICH.		MIDDLEBURY.
McIver	re	Myrick, Hubbard
Brigham	rt	Canty, Reynolds
Adams,	rg	Horsford, Anderson, Boliver
G. MacDonald	c	Lang
Winters	lg	Hard, Dake
Cameron	lt	Deufel
Highland	le	Good, Thomas
Bewe	f	Lynch
J. MacDonald	rhb	Pollard
Bishop	lhb	Bresnahan
Ogsten, Martin	qb	Bowers, Parker

Officials: Referee, Johnson, Springfield, Mass. Umpire, Young, Adams, Mass. Head linesman: Keegan, Pittsfield, Mass.

BIG CELEBRATION OF CHARTER DAY

Students Participate in Celebration in the McCullough Gymnasium.

The 116th anniversary of the signing of original charter of Middlebury College was observed by the annual charter day exercises in the McCullough Gymnasium, Wednesday evening, November 1, with a large attendance of townspeople and college students.

After the reading of the charter from the original manuscript by H. E. Hollister, President of Middlebury College Union, President Thomas gave an account of the growth of Middlebury College from earliest times, touching upon many points that were not familiar to the students. He was of the opinion that there has been too little attention given to the history of the college, and he advised reading along that line.

He said in part:

"Vermont was very early interested in education and very early assumed ideas concerning higher education. A constitution was made in the year 1777 which provided for one grammar school in each county and one university in the state (often misquoted as 'one university for the state.')

"People must not get the idea that Middlebury is just beginning to grow. It is now only coming back where it belongs. In the old days there were more students here than in any other college in the state."

Concluding the historical sketch of the College, President Thomas announced a symposium—"What can we do to make this Middlebury's best year?" to which six students of the collage answered, each speaking for a different phase of college activities.

The first speaker was William H. Edmunds, '17, who answered the question as to academic standards. He said: "We place too much emphasis upon college life and too little upon scholastic attainments. A man in college who studies and makes that his chief aim will get along better. Studying earnestly is the best highway to future success. Men of scholastic attainments during their college careers are the ones of greatest importance in later life."

Lucy Smith, '18 answered as to "In quickening every-day responsbility." The essence of her talk was that the best work is done by those who work in the corners and by-ways and not by those whose work attracts a lot of attention by all. The best people are those who bring about results. It is easy to go with the crowd, but it is a great deal easier to stand on one's own feet."

Harold M. Davis, '17 answered to the question, "In religious work." He spoke of how many there are who, when they are on the precipice of life, wish they could go back and lead their life over again. Quite often when a person comes to college he sees someone who seems to impress him as one whom he

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EDITORIAL.

The present board has not heretofore made an appeal in these columns to the student body as alumni or friends of the college to support the Campus financially or otherwise in its work of promoting the interests of the college and furnishing a medium of intercourse to its many friends. We are very loath to urge upon anyone a greater sense of duty inasmuch as the various college activities impose upon the undergraduates in particular numerous obligations which are in toto too irksome to bear. However we have come to a point where we sorely need more loyal support in order to make the paper a success. We would impress upon our readers the fact that the Campus is not a private undertaking intended to further the interests of a small group, but rather a public servant in every sense of the word. Our work is, or should be, representative of the entire college, and to us has been en trusted the task of carrying it on.

There have been real grounds for complaint on the part of our readers that many of the significant college events do not receive any publicity in these columns. To this we plead quilty. A gre t deal that is of interest not only to students but especially to the alumni is never published, but this is not the fault of the editorial staff. In the spring of 1916 the Campus adopted its first written constitution which introduced permanently a system which is as nearly as possible competitive. This has well nigh revolutionized the work of editing so that we are in a position to easily obtain all the college news. A new problem now faces us, and its solution depends entirely on the support which we recieve from the students and alumni.

The present board received from the retiring board last spring the legacy of a large debt and low subscription list, conditions which count heavily against the success of the paper. Our reorganized business department has started a campaign to free us from this incumberance and place the campus on a sure footing. We are not sustained in this effort, however, by those whom we represent, and without a rallying support we can do nothing. The college paper is a STUDENT activity, and should accordingly receive loyal student support. A laborer cannot be expected to do efficient work unless he is supplied with suitable tools, and the Campus can never truly represent Middlebury college until it is furnished with the means to do so. We are unable to publish the news furnished us because of the lack of financial support,

Our aim is to furnish Middlebury and its alumni with a weekly paper which will publish aocurately, and promptly all the news of the college which is worthy together with helpful criticism on the manners and customs of the institution with a view to promote the general welfare of our college and to uphold its highest ideals. We appeal for your support?

Our Debating Prospect.

Now that the confusion of another opening college year has gradually abated and everybody is becoming acclimated to the real work of the college it is proper that earnest and serious thought should be given to our debating prospects for the year.

Last year our one and only debate of the season, that with U.V. M., resulted in an easy win for Midd. This easy win was made possible by the indefatigable and consistent work of the few men who represented Midd. on the debating platform and by the untiring and painstaking coaching of Professors Abbott, Wetherell, and Cunningham. To these men alone are due all the credit and honor of our easy conquest of the University. In behalf of the encouragment and interest afforded debating by the student body of the college, especially of the men's college, prior to the debate itself, unfortunately very few words can be said. It is regrettable that so few men every year interest themselves in this activity which really means more to the permanent respect and prestige accorded to our college by the thoughtful-minded and progressive men and women of the world than any other activity of the college outside of the regular academic courses of the curricula. To emphasize this fact I would like to mention the substance of a statement of one of the prominent lawyers of Vermont, a man who was asked to serve as one of the judges of the U. V. M. debate last year and who was unable to do so because of business pressure. In his letter congratulating the team upon its victory over the university team he said that he was glad to see that a college could show interest in and excel in some activity other than athletics. Of course he meant no disparagement of our athletic interests, for college athletics are necessary to a well-rounded and live institution like Middlebury, but the emphasis he placed on an activity which shows our mental training is very significant and worthy of sober thought. In other words, what we need to put debating on a strong and permanent foundation here at Middlebury is the interest and encouragement of the student body, women as well as men. Of the men of the college we ask that their interest be evidenced by willingness of all who will to go out for the team and make it possible for us to have two teams this year instead of one, something we have been unable to do the past two years. Of course, debating activity will mean time and real mental energy, but the returns are greater than from any other college activity. For the average man it takes more grit and dogged stick-to-it-iveness to make the varsity debating team than any one of the college athletic teams. If any of our athletic brethren doubt this let them show what they have got and come out for the debating team.

At a recent meeting of the upper classmen interested in debating but a bare half dozen were present. It has been decided that this year the freshmen will be allowed to compete for the team. This will give freshmen who have ability a chance to make the team their first year with prospects of three years ahead of them filled with promises of unexcelled opportunities for forensic training and development in debating skill. This year we debate Vermont at Burlington and the strongest team possible will be needed to make the count 3-1 in our favor. Last year we won the rubber debate making the count 2-1 in Middlebury's favor and a win this year will put us in a lead that will not be overcome in several years. To have a strong team requires that every man who can will try out for the team. If two teams can be had, two or three intercollegiate debates can be arranged. It is entirely up to the men to do their part and respond to this call to put Middlebury on a good basis in the college debating world. When the call for tryouts is given, let more than a handful respond for old Middlebury.

W. E. MILLER.

Inter-Fraternity Scholarship Contest.

In accordance with President Thomas' announcement, made last spring, an inter-fraternity scholarship contest has been started this semester. Dr. Thomas has given a cup, which will be presented to the men's fraternity, which at the end of each semester, has the highest average, and is to be held by them during the succeeding semester. Should the cup be won by a fraternity for two consecutive semesters, it will remain in their possession permanently.

The following rules regarding the management of the contest have been drawn up:

1 The Inter-fraternity Scholarship Contest shall be conducted by a committee composed of one representative from each fraternity, the Dean of men, the Registrar, and a representative of the non-fraternity men.

2 The representatives of the undergraduate body shall preferably be upper classmen.

3 The chairman shall be a senior representative elected by the committee.

4 Meetings shall be held at the discretion of the chairman.

5 The methods of ratifying new or changing old rules shall be similar to those adopted by the Inter-fraternity Council.

6 The general average of the men's fraternities shall be determined by dividing the sum of the grades obtained by a fraternity by the total number of courses taken by that fraternity.

7 Conditions shall count as 50.

8 Exclusion from an examination shall count as 0.

9 Repeated courses shall count as new courses.

10 Subjects dropped by permission of the faculty shall be dropped from the count.

11 Incomplete work shall not count. Incomplete courses to receive credit in the averaging must be made up within three weeks after the examinations.

12 The neutral men shall be included as a single body.

13 The method of comparison shall be determined by the committee.

14 The standing of the fraternities shall be published after the first semester in the Campus and after the second semester in the "Freshmen Bible."

The following men compose the committee conducting the contest for this year: Lee, Delta Kappa Epsilon, chairman: Ottman, Kappa Delta Rho; Benedict, Chi Psi; H. Davis, Delta Upsilon; Sears, Alpha Sigma Phi; Mitchell, neutral.

A New Faculty Member.

We are glad to welcome to our faculty Miss Mary B. Oliver, who is a graduate of Wellesley College and has taken a special course in Simmons. For two years she has been teaching in Fitzwilliam, N. H. She is to take classes in Home Economics I and the woman's divisions of Freshman English. Her work is made more difficult by the fact that she starts in the midst of the semester. We assure her of our hearty welcome and our best wishes for success.

Bible Classes in the Women's College.

Do we want the standard of our college to be behind that of other colleges in regard to Bible classes? We have no required Bible courses in our curriculum —what we have are purely optional, and many girls who would like to enjoy the training of these courses are debarred because of the fullness of their schedules. Therefore the courses offered by the Y. W. C. A. have great value, inasmuch as all can enjoy these privileges. At our Charter Day we heard again the great truth that to live right, we must get a true perspective, and to get this we must develope our spiritual natures. As a means, the Y. W. C. A. is presenting two courses, one for seniors and juniors, and the other for sophomores and freshmen, under men of exceptional ability for this work. President Thomas has consented to lead the class for senior and juniors, and will set forth the general principles of the modern view of the Bible, as affecting both the Old and New Testaments, with some idea of the results of the modern historical study of the Bible. We realize that we are more than fortunate in securing the leadership of our President, and we urge that all take advantage of this opportunity for higher spiritual development. Prof. Sanford has consented to lead the class for the sophomores and freshmen. Prof. Sanford is a true student of the Bible and has had much experience in work of this kind, and offers a very interesting course. The classes will be held every Wednesday evening beginning Wednesday, November 8, from 7 to 7:45. Pres. Thomas' in Pearsons Hall and Prof. Sanford's in Battell parlors. We are anticipating some splendid talks, and we ask the co-operation of every girl to make this Middlebury's best year in Y. W. C. A. Bible classes.

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ried the ball to R. P. I's. twenty yard line. Potter lost two yards, and a forward pass was intercepted by Bresnahan, who ran back five yards. A forward pass, Parker to Brickett, netted twenty-five yards for Midd. Lynch gained two yards and a fumble, recovered, lost two yards. Bresnahan gained twenty-two yards, and Pollard two more, putting the ball on the R. P. I's. 2nd yard line. Lynch carried the ball over and kicked the goal. Midd. 13—R, P, I. 0.

Middlebury kicked to Lockman who ran back to 25 yard line. Potter gained two yards, Lockman five and Potter eight. 1st. down for R. P. I. A fumble was recovered by R. P. I. Lockman gained one yard and an incompleted forward pass forced R. P. I. to kick, Midd getting the ball on her 25 yard line. Parker returned the ball, punting to the 30 yard line when the quarter ended.

Anderson took Randall's place in the second quarter. An incomplete pass by R. P. I. and Mayberry's failure to gain compelled R. P. I. to kick to Midd's. 30 yard line. Lynch made five yards, Parker two, giving Midd. 1st down. Parker gained five yards, Bresnahan no gain and Parker punted to R. P. I's. 12 yard line. R. P. I. returned the ball ten yards. By line plunges R. P. I. gained about ten yards, but finally kicked to the thirty one yard line. Bresnahan made three yards, Lynch six and Parker four. Middlebury was penalized fifteen yards for holding. Myrick replaced Brickett, Parker punted forty yards.

On three forward passes and a line plunge R. P. I. gained forty-six yards, and placed the ball on Middlebury's five-yard line. R. P. I. was thrown for a loss. Bower replaced Parker. Middlebury again prevented a gain and a forward pass was intercepted. Middlebury's ball on her one-yard line when the half ended.

In the third quarter Middlebury kicked to R. P. I.'s twenty-yard line. R. P. I. failed to gain and punted to Middlebury's thirty-yard line. Bower failed to gain. Pollard made six yards, Bower five and six more by an end run. Pollard gained three more yards. Lynch fumbled. R. P. I.'s ball. Two incomplete passes and a loss by Lockman forced R. P. I. to kick, Whitney running the ball back four yards. Pollard made ten yards for first down. Lynch gained five, Pollard three, Lynch two and Pollard six yards more. Lynch next made a twenty-two yard run through a broken field to the ten-yard line. Pollard made four yards, Bower three and Pollard shot through the R. P. I. line for the third touchdown. Lynch failed to kick goal. Middlebury19—R. P. I. 0.

Middlebury kicked to the thirteen-yard line, and the ball was carried back to the twenty-yard line. A pass failed. Reynolds went in for Deufel. R. P. I. punted to the thirty-five-yard line and Bower carried it back ten yards, Pollard made two yards and Lynch twenty yards to R. P. I. thirty-five yard line. Bower gained twenty-five yards to the ten yard line, Whitney made eight yards more but Middlebury lost the ball on a fumble. R. P. I. kicked to the twenty-five yard line. Middlebury was penalized fifteen yards for holding just as the quarter ended.

In the last quarter Randall went in for Anderson, Deufel for Reynolds and Bresnahan for Whitney. A forward pass Bower to Bresnahan put the ball on the fourteen-yard line. From here Bresnahan made a touchdown on an end run. Middlebury 25—R. P. I. 0.

R. P. I. kicked to Middlebury, a fumble was recovered and Pollard gained four yards. A fake pass netted twenty-five yards, Bower made five more and on a quarter-back run crossed the R. P. I. line for the fifth and last score of the game. Good failed to kick goal. Middlebury 31—R. P. I. 0.

With seven minutes to play, Middlebury kicked the ten-yard line, the ball was returned ten yards. Thomas went in for Good. R. P. I. fumbled and Bower recovering the ball ran forty yards to the eight-yard line. Midd. was penalized five yard for off-side play. Middlebury lost the ball. R. P. I. failed in two passes, then gained seventeen yards on another and a fourth netted ten yards. Bresnahan interceptee the next pass and ran thirty yards. Bower made three more and Bresnahan five, Lynch gained two yards and the ball was on the 12-yard line. A forward pass to Aines, across the goal line was beyond the ten yard limit and did not count. A number of substitutes went in during the last few minutes and the game ended with the ball in R. P. I. possession on the 45-yard line.

Summary :

MIDDLEBURY	R. P. I.
Good, Thomas,	Robertson, l. e.
Brigham, l. e.	
Deufel, Reynolds, l. t.	
	Morse, Bickel, r. t.
Hard, l. g.	Kierstead, Dennison, r. g.
Dake, c.	Rtchards, c.
Randall, Anderson, r. g.	Hansen, l. g.
Canty, r. t.	McKenzie, l. t.
Brickett, Myrick, Aines, r. e.	Frank, l. e.
Parker, Bower, q. b.	
	Maybury (capt.) q. b.
Whitney, Bresnahan (capt.), l. h. b.	
	Lind, Mohun, r. h. b.
Pollard, Gallagher, r. h. b.	
	Potter, l. h. b.
Lynch, f. b.	Lockran, f. b.

Referee, Barrett, Rutland; umpire, Reegan, Pittsfield; head linesman, Robinson, Middlebury; time, 15-minute quarters; touchdowns, Lynch, 2, Pollard, Bower, Bresnahan; goal, Lynch.

Rally Before the Norwich Game.

On Friday night before the Norwich game the men of the college held a rally for the purpose of practicing the cheers and arousing a maximum amount of spirit. The majority of the men gathered in front of the chapel and led by drums proceeded to the various fraternity houses collecting men by the way.

The parade then returned to the gymnasium where the rally was held. Here the various cheers and songs were rehearsed under the leadership of Lee and Williams respectively. Dr. Harrington who was present was called upon and responded with a short speech, the principal theme of which was the proper spirit in which to accept either victory or defeat. Assistant Manager of Football Gorham as well as Mr. King also added considerably to the spirit of the occasion by short speeches.

A short meeting of the Union was held over which President Hollister presided. The only business discussed was that of organizing new ways to demonstrate college spirit. The meeting was then formally adjourned, followed by a final rehearsal of cheers, which demonstrated plainly that the rally had fully accomplished its purpose.

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wishes to follow and then later is disappointed to find that the person is not as perfect as he first thought him. It would be better for the person to place his own ideal before him and study that. It is in working those ideals and doing something besides thinking that counts. Good intention often fails.

After a selection by the college orchestra, the answers to the symposium were continued.

Richard H. Buffum, '18 replied to the question " In college loyalty :" "We cannot call that spasmodic sort of enthusiasm which we find exhibited at the most important functions and athletic contests of the year a true college spirit. The individuals are merely following the crowd which comes as a natural tendency. Loyalty consists of believing in one point. When the faculty aims at one thing and the student body, or a part of it, aims at another thing, we have temporarily lost our unity—and where is our college spirit? The trouble with the kind of loyalty exhibited in most instances is that the individual has the wrong attidude twards college and instructors."

Miss Katherine Ball, '17. replying "In Conflicting Loyalties," said in part: "We believe in loyalty but when we come to every-day application of it we fall far below. We are all selfish to some degree; that is, if some college function is to take place we feel that we should go but later something else comes up and we leave to go to another affair. We are glad to come in at the last moment and bear away a part of the honor with those who have done all the work. Group ballot is used too much. To work with union for the broader and better Middlebury is what is necessary for the good of the college and that is what we want."

Captain Lang of the football team said, in answering to "In our campus life :" "Seek a field where your ideas and standards are needed. Don't be selfish with your ideas. You must not only broaden your academic but also your social life on the campus. It is in this way that you will broaden your power for assuming responsibilities."

Concluding the replies to the symposium, Dr. Abernethy of Burlington, an alumnus of the class of '76, was introduced as the speaker of the evening. He gave a very interesting talk on the college activities and the relative values of studies and other interests which play so large a part in college life. He said that a conspicuous fact of college experience is the faculty of college students, not for learning, but for forgetting. Many forget what they came to college for, and drift through it in an aimless way. If they are not awakened to the responsibility of life during their college career their chances of succeeding in later life are small.

An interesting simile he drew was likening college to a moving picture for diversity. One of the present day criticisms of the play is that the scenery is so elaborate that we miss the real plot of the play. As in a circus it is difficult to find the main tent in the many surrounding side shows, so also we miss the main issue in college among the multitude of other interests. Briefly "College life is more of a success than college education."

Dr, Abernethy then urged more interest in the intellectual side of the college, pointing out the big advantages which follow later if one does center his purpose on intellectual pursuits.

The college orchestra and choir rendered several selections that were received with enthusiasm and interest by the students and friends assembled. Ridgley Lee had charge of the cheering.

Y. W. C. A. Notes.

On November 2nd was held the first of a series of two meetings on the subject, "The Relation of Y. W. C. A. to other College Organizations." Last week's meeting was in charge of Miss Helen Cussons, president of the Student Government Association. Tomorrow the meeting will be led by Miss Charlotte Marsh, president of the Women's Athletic Association. These meetings should prove of great interest to every girl in college.

The Cabinet is planning a sale of Japanese articles for Saturday, November 25. Tea and rice wafers will also be served at a nominal price. Look for later and more detailed announcements.

The Middlebury Y. W. C. A. is hoping to forward $50 to headquarters towards the support of Miss Baker and her work. For several years we either have sent nothing or have fallen far short of our pledge. Let us do our best this year.

Under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A., twenty minute song services have been held in Pearsons Social Hall immediately after dinner on Sundays.

We are looking forward to a visit from Miss Sarah E. Snell a travelling secretary of the Student Volunteer Movement, who will be here the latter part of November.

At a recent Y. W. C. A. Cabinet meeting Miss Mildred Hubbard was elected freshman representative to the Cabinet.

The milk chocolate ordered by the Y. W. C. A. a short time ago sold so well that a second order has been sent in. The proceeds are for the purpose of sending girls to the Silver Bay Conference next June.

On October 25, students passing the bulletin board in the Old Chapel stopped to puzzle over a most attractive, but also most puzzling poster, whose lettering ran up and down instead of horizontally. After close scrutiny, one was able to derive the information that one might spend "An Afternoon in Japan" at Pearsons on October 26th. As each girl entered the Social Hall at the appointed hour, she was given an attractive leaflet mentioning features of the Y. W. C. A. work in Japan. The program was carried out with the purpose of making Japan and the Japanese more real to Middlebury girls.

Among the features was the description of the arrival and work in Japan of Miss Pauline Rowland, '16, taken from a letter written by her. The work of Miss Mary C. Baker, Y. W. C. A. general secretary at Yokohama, was explained. While slips for pledging toward the work of Miss Baker were being passed out, tea and Japanese rice wafers were served. Those serving and others taking part wore Japanese kimonos. Much credit for the success of the meeting is due to Miss Helen Clift who had the program in charge.

At the faculty club meeting last Monday evening, Professor Wetherell gave an interesting talk on the present political campaign.

AN OUTING CLUB FOR MIDDLEBURY.

Prof. Lambert Shows Lantern Slides.

A meeting of all men interested in forming an Outing club at Middlebury was held on the evening of November 3, after the rally. Dr. Lambert gave a lecture on the organization of such a club, suggesting how such an organization might be started and successfully carried on here. He then showed some slides, which he had procured through the courtesy of the Dartmouth outing club showing the activities of the club at Hanover.

He said in part:

"The purpose of an outing club is to give the men an opportunity for outdoor activities in the winter, when, as things now stand we have all our sports, with the exception of hockey, in the Gymnasium. In order to make a success of such an enterprise, the heart of every man in the club must be right in the work and every one must be willing to do his share. The basis of the club should be and is good fellowship, and the great out-of-doors gives ample opportunity to make this a vital part of the work.

"Much of the value of such a club would lie in the fact that it would teach a man to play a man's game in a man's way. The members would learn how to take care of themselves under almost all conditions and circumstances, and the knowledge of woodcraft gained on the hikes would very likely be of invaluable use to them at some time in their after life. In a word, it would make a man show all the stuff that was in him and develop his courage and grit. It is certainly a man's game to climb Mount Washington in the middle of winter on skis, and that is the kind of work that is being done at the present time at Dartmouth, when every year a certain number, carefully selected for their grit and endurance, make the trip from Dartmouth to the top of this mountain, the highest peak in New England, and are very proud of the fact that theirs is the only college, whose members have ever beaten the mountain at its own game in the depths of winter.

"The club at Dartmouth was started by one man, who wanted to loarn how to ski. He went out every day to a park not far from the college and practiced, taking the easy slopes at first and then as he became more adept in the art, trying the more difficult ones and also attempting a little ski-jumping. After he had become somewhat proficient in the sport he invited several other fellows to come out to practice with him and from that small nucleus has developed the famous Dartmouth Outing Club of to-day, whose winter Carnival is the crowning feature of the year at Dartmouth, even surpassing Junior week in importance.

"The Dartmouth Club has built a series of cabins throughout the mountains, at varying distances from the college, to which parties go to spend weekends during the winter months. There are always supplies and fuel at these cabins so they serve as very good objective points for long hikes and are so well built as to be warm, even in the severest weather. Although it will be quite some time before a club organized here can even hope to begin building cabins, the president of the Dartmouth club, Mr. Emerson has suggested that when we do, we should build our series in the direction of Dartmouth and that they would extend their chain this way so that in time there would be a continuous series of cabins, situated at convenient hiking intervals, from Middlebury to Dartmouth. This would tend to develop a friendly spirit with our friends in the neighboring state and would be a very worth-while project

"The Professors are admitted into the Dartmouth club on the same basis as the students and I hope that the same conditions wili prevail here, and that the professors will not be set up as little tin gods on wheels."

A very large and interested audience was present and the fellows seem to be real enthusiastic over the plan. After the lecture, all those interested were requested to sign their names, and steps will be taken in the very near future to draw up a constitution and elect officers.

A large number sign d up and there is every indication that the club will prove a great success.

The Freshman P-rade.

The annual Freshman P-rade was held on Saturday, October 21. More than fifty different characters of both local and national fame were represented. It was an occasion of much fun and was judged an unusual success. The line formed at the Old Chapel promptly at 3:30 o'clock, and led by the College Band proceeded through the principal streets of the town and ended at Porter Field. All along the way the various members did their alotted stunts before the gathered crowds of college and townspeople. These acts were accompanied by bursts of laughter and the click of cameras.

The p-rade represented a broad range of characters. It included professors, students, clowns, monkeys, actors, bums, soldiers and others too numerous to mention. When Porter Field was reached the paraders joined the cheering section and gave their support to the Middlebury Seconds, who were playing Goddard. At various intervals when it became rather slow some of the higher spirited characters did their best to add life to the situation.

Y. W. C. A. Meetings.

An unusual and attractive meeting of the Y. W. C. A. was held in Pearsons Social Hall, Thursday, October 26, under the leadership of Helen Clift. The subject of the meeting was "An Afternoon in Japan" and the idea was carried out by the committee, who served tea and Japanese wafers, dressed in the costume of Japan.

The leader gave a talk on Miss. Baker's work in Japan and Louise Reynolds read a letter from Miss Baker herself, telling some interesting facts about the life in that country, and making a plea for enthusiastic co-operation and support. Elsie Foote then gave some extracts of a letter from Pauline Rowland, who graduated from Middlebury in 1915 and who is now in Japan. Helen Simms and Helen Linnell sang a duet which closed one of the best Y. W. meetings of the year, Let us make this meeting but a precedent for the ones to follow and make this a "live" year for Y. M. at Midd!

Several Norwich men were entertained in town over Sunday by their Middlebury friends.

COLLEGE NOTES

On the evening of October 27th some Middlebury College students journeyed to Shoreham by automobile where they furnished an entertainment at the annual gentlemen's night of the Clover Club. The young men who went were: Professor Phillips, pianist; Webster Miller, vocal soloist; Dexter Mead, magician; and Charles Danolds, reader. Mr. King, President Thomas' assistant accompanied them.

Cheer practice is held three times a week after chapel on the Mead Memorial Chapel. Some of the boys, especially among the freshman class, are developing good lungs.

The students of Middlebury College organized a branch of the National Republican College Leage. The officers chosen are: Durward Boehm, president; Howard Watson, vice-president; Karl W. Davis, secretary-treasurer. Arrangements have been made for a special wire to the gymnasium so that election returns may be had early on election night.

On October 28th, President Thomas addressed the Northwestern Ohio Teachers' Association at the annual meeting in Cleveland.

Rev. F. H. Smith of Illinois gave an interesting illustrated lecture last week on the "Chinese Empire from a Missionary Point ef View." It was held in the hemicycle under the auspices of the college Y. M. C. A.

Assistant Professor Cady has edited an edition of the "Old Wives' Tale" by George Peele. The edition emphasizes a study of the play from the stand-point of the dramatic purpose which inspired it and is based upon an attempt to bring out this purpose in actual presentation. It appeals to those who are interested in any permanent records of dramatic presentations by our colleges and it is the outcome of a presentation at Middlebury iu 1911.

The presidents of the various women's organizations held a meeting recently in Miss Ross' room to plan the programs for the year. They are to be arranged so that no meetings will conflict and so that there will not be too many meetings in any one week. The program is soon to be posted.

The eighty-second annual national convention of the Delta Upsilon fraternity was held at Providence, R. I., on October 12, 13 and 14. The Middlebury chapter was represented by four active members: Karl W. Davis '17, R. Douglass Esten '17, Rowland V. Ricker. '17 and Walbridge B. Fullington, '18. The alumni of the chapter were represented by J. James Floyd, ex'16 and M. F. Shea '15, of New London, Conn. and Charles L. Smiddy '13 of Cambridge, Mass.

ALUMNI NOTES

'04. Lewis Squires of Council Bluffs, Ia., was a recent visiter at the Chi Psi lodge.

The following alumni were in town Saturday for the Norwich game: Homer Skeeles '98, B. L. Stafford '01, Sanford Lane '05, George Shaw '10, Robert Twitchell '11, Ralph W. Hedges '12, Millard Blanchard '14, Mildred Lusk '15, Leonard Monahan '15, Joel Lamere '16, Marjory Lee '16, George Ayres '16.

Hon. A. Barton Hepburn led the Middlebury College section of the parade at the Hughes celebration in New York City Saturday night.

Through the efforts of Ross '16 a new gymnasium is being constructed at Peacham academy.

Miss Anna Fisher '16, who is teaching at West Rutland, spent Friday night with friends on the hill, going to her home at Vergennes for the week-end.

Miss Sue Smith ex-'17 who is spending this year at home, has been visiting her college friends the past week.

Mr. Robinson '16 spent several days with friends at college while on a business trip to Rutland.

Silver Bay Club Masquerade.

During the early part of the evening of October 27th Silver Bay Club held a masquerade dance in Pearsons social hall. It was announced that only those from the women's college would be admitted, but one watching the revelers would have felt sure that this stipulation had been withdrawn. Clowns, gypsies, children, cowboys, fairies, Minnehahas and negro mammies were mingled in riotous confusion. There were many attractive costumes, but the prizes were finally awarded to a natty soldier boy and a girl from ancient Greece. An especially mystifying masker was a demure but vivacious little maid of half a century ago.

The social hall was attractively decorated with autumn leaves and with black and orange crepe paper. The proceeds, for there was a small admission fee, went toward reducing a deficit in the treasury of Silver Bay Club.

Rally at Pearsons.

An enthusiastic rally was held on the hill Friday evening, at which no lack of "pep" over the Norwich game was shown. Miss Bullis made a few brief but forcible remarks in regard to the enthusiasm needed to uphold Middlebury's football team. Following a short talk given by Miss Dean in regard to the women's basket ball teams an animated snake dance took place. Later in the evening Coach Holmes explained some of the tactics and rules of football. His talk was much appreciated by all.

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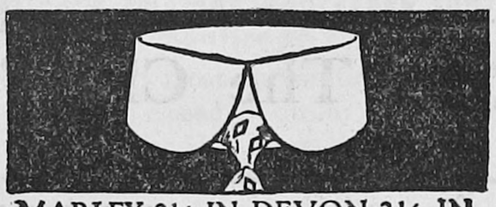
The CAMPUS acknowledges the receipt of the following exchanges and we hope to develop the work much farther: "The Vermont Cynic," "The Radcliffe News," "Maryland Collegian," "The Bates Student," "The Rollins Sandspur."

In previous years the CAMPUS has never taken a very active interest in developing its exchange department so that the present exchange list is exceedingly low in conparison with many other papers. It is hoped by the board that this year the exchange department may develop to a greater extent than ever before. We want to keep in touch with other colleges throughout the country for we feel that many things are happening that are of interest to us.

These exchange papers are all on file in the Campus office and the students are at liberty to look them over during office hours.



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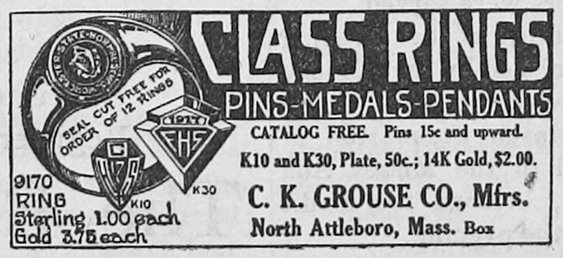
THE CLASS OF 1916.

In order that the present undergraduates and alumni may know what has become of the members of the class which was graduated from Middlebury last June, we have undertaken to compile a record of the present address and occupation of each member of the class of 1916. This record ought to be of great help in continuing college fellowships and thus keep our alumni together. So as we start this movement, it is with the wish and request that it be continued from year to year.

It is interesting to note the occupations entered upon by this class. Taking the figures from the men's college only, out of 29 graduates no less than 12 are now teaching, several of which are principals of their schools. Nearly the same number are engaged in business of some sort, generally office work. Only two have seen fit to continue their studies along advanced lines and the same number have undertaken Christian work. There are but three who are not actively engaged in some occupation. If any conclusions are to be drawn from these figures, they seem to center about the fact that college prepares for work in life. What better recommendation could one ask for!

In the following list, the roll of men is complete with a few exceptions. These could not be traced and if they will send us the necessary information it will appear in a later issue. Also any corrections will be appreciated.

Adams, Harold,	with Lake Torpedo-Boat Co.	Bridgeport, Conn.
Aylward, Henry	Teacher	Rochester
Austin, Elden	Preaching	East Middlebury
Ayres, George	Teacher	Momaroneck, N. Y.
Bicknell, L. Emerson		Charlemont, Mass.
Chapman, George	with New England Power Co.	Worcester, Mass.
Condit, Philip	with General Electric Co.	New York City
Dickinson, Edward		Lunenburg, Mass.
Ferguson, Philip	Teacher	Westbrook Seminary, Portland, Me.
Fish, Frederick	with Fisk Tire Co.	11 Hendrick, Chicopee Falls, Mass.
Gale, Lloyd	Teacher	Rumsey Hall, Cornwall, Conn.
Hall, Harry	Teacher	Fair Haven
Howe, Joseph		Byng Inlet, Canada
Hoyt, John	Student	Harvard Law School, Cambridge, Mass.
Lamere, Joseph	Teacher	West Rutland
Locklin, Harold	with Vermont Marble Co.	Proctor
Logan, Allen	with Edison Chemical Laboratory	Orange, N. J.
Parker, Alban	Teacher	Keene, N. H.
Phelps, Aaron		Albany
Randall, Charles	Teacher	Box 437, Shelburne Falls, Mass.
Robinson, Gordon	with Stanley Rule & Level Co.	New Britain, Conn.
Ross, Carroll	Teacher	Peacham
Salisbury, Donald	Teacher	Danforth School, Framingham, Mass.
Schwarzwalder, Frank		89 North 19th Street, East Orange, N. J.
Shedd, Ralph	Y. M. C. A. work	Eagle Pass, Texas
Snyder, George	Teacher	Granville, N. Y.
Thomas, Walter		Poultney
Wild, Lawrence	Teacher	Mt. Hermon, Mass.
Wright, Charles	Student	Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y.
Arnold, Roberta	Teacher	Castleton Normal School, Castleton
Arnold, Vera	Teacher	West Rutland
Besiegel, Lucia	Teacher	Peacham
Bosworth, Helen		Florence, Mass.
Carrigan, Helen	Teacher	Middlebury
Conner, Ruth		Methuen, Mass.
Drake, Ella	Teacher	Corinth, N. H.
Fisher, Emma	Teacher	West Rutland
Gorton, Ethel		Nagatuck, Conn.
Grant, Isabelle	Teacher	Newport
Greeley, Ruth	Teacher	Rochester
Griffith, Isabel	Teacher	Brookfield Jun. High Sch'l, Brookfield, Mass.
Harris, Dorothy	Teacher	Cincinnati, Ohio
Hazeltine, Hazel	Teacher	Thetford Academy, Thetford
Hobbs, Katherine	Teacher	Springfield
Holmes, Mary	Teacher	Northfield. Mass.
Jones, Mildred	Teacher	New Berlin, N. Y.
Keets, Ruth	Teacher	Newport
Kenrick, Helen	Teacher	Wilmington
Lee, Marjorie	Teacher	Bristol
McNall, Amy	Teacher	Piermont, N. H.
Myers, Harriet	Teacher	Orleans
Nelson, Louise		Salisbury
Noyes, Dorothy	Teacher	Lyndon Institute, Lyndonville
Pressey, Rachel	Teacher	Whitfield, N. H.
Rowland, Pauline	Teacher	Sapparo, Japan
Smeallie, Louise	Teacher	Terryville, Conn.
Wooding, Elizabeth		Wallingford, Conn.
Wright, Belle	Teacher	East Jaffrey, N. H.



College Fire Dept. Saves House.

About 2:30 Monday afternoon fire broke out in a large barn near the campus, giving the College Volunteer Fire Department a chance to demonstrate its efficiency. The members of the department responded promptly with the new chemical engine. Realizing that the barn would be a total loss, efforts were at once directed to saving the house. A stream from the chemical was played on the rear of the house and although it was badly scorched, the flames were held in check and finally subdued. The arrival of the town departmeut with several lines of hose which were turned on the blazing ruins of the barn prevented further damage.

This is the first time the chemical engine has been used at a fire and considering that there has been no regular practice Captains Boehm and Jones feel that the men made a very creditable showing.

Hat Scrap.

The annual scrap between the sophomores and freshmen for possession of the hat was put on between the halves of the football game on Saturday, October 28, and resulted in a complete victory for the freshmen.

As the men lined up on opposite sides of the hat it was plaln that the freshies outnumbered the sophs by more than 2-1. This did not keep Jenne '19 from reaching the hat first. The scrap had its usual duels on the edge of the squirming pile.

No one was seriously hurt although the time did seem extremely long. The freshmen who were short of breath felt satisfied at getting five hands on the hat while not a sophomore was touching it.

Miss Ross Ill.

We regret to state that a nervous breakdown has made it necessary for Miss Ross to return to her home in Rutland for a time. All the women of Middlebury College extend to her their best wishes for a complete and speedy recovery, and hope that she will soon be able to return and take up her duties among us again.

Dinner Party at Hepburn.

A small party took dinner at Hepburn Commons on Charter Day, November 1st. Among those present were: Dr. J. W. Abernethy of Burlington, President and Mrs. Thomas, Dr. and Mrs. Brainerd, Judge Weeks, W.H. Wheeler, editor of the Vergennes Enterprise, Mr Cushing, editor of the St. Albans Messenger, Mr. Danolds, '17, Mrs. Mason and the Misses Jennie and Ada Bristol.

Dance in Gymnasium.

The second informal dance of the year was given in the gymnasium on Saturday evening, October 28. Everyone seemed better acquainted than at the first dance, so the evening was very enjoyable. The patrons and patronesses were Prof. and Mrs. Bonney, Dean Wiley and Mrs. Wiley.

Civil Service Exam.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces an examination to be held on November 14, 1916, to fill a vacancy in the position of expert electrical and mechanical aid, at $12.48 per diem, in the Bureau of Yards and Docks, Navy Department, Washington, D. C. For detailed information enquire of the Campus editors.

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Delta Delta Delta Comes to Middlebury.

On Wednesday evening, November 1, Rho chapter of Phi Mu Gamma received a telegram from Miss A. Louise Fitch, National President of Delta Delta Delta that they had been granted a charter in that fraternity. Delta Delta Delta was founded at Boston University in 1888 and now has fifty-eight chapters.

Phi Mu Gamma is what is known as a junior fraternity and most of its chapters are in schools not of academic rank. It has been known among the students for several months that the Middlebury chapter was seeking a charter from Detla Delta Delta. Both the college and the young women receiving this charter are to be congratulated on the coming to Middlebury one of the leading and the largest of the women's national fraternities.

Hepburn Hall House Warming

Wednesday evening, October 25, Hepburn Hall was thrown open for inspection by the public and a large number of students, townspeople and invited friends took advantage of the opportunity to look over Middlebury's new dormitory.

The Hon. A. Barton Hepburn, who donated the building was a student of Middlebury of whom she can be justly proud. Mr. Hepburn was born in the neighboring state of New York. He came to Middlebury a poor country boy, and worked his way through the college as a member of the class of 1871. His pluck and energy soon manifested itself and few men in America have ever experienced so rapid a rise from poverty to a place of honor in the affairs of the nation. At one time Mr. Hepburn was comptroller of the currency and at present is president of the Chase National bank of New York City, and the foremost authority on banking and finance in the country.

Hepburn Hall was begun in the spring of 1915 and was completed for the opening of the present college year. It is an impressive structure built almost entirely of brick and concrete, thus making it fireproof. The building is five stories in height having eleven suites on each floor, excepting the fifth which has six. Altogether, the dormitory has accommodations for about a hundred students.

The college and townspeople may well be proud of Hepburn Hall. Probably no college in America can boast a better dormitory. Situated on a height overlooking the other college buildings it adds greatly to the dignity and impressiveness of the campus.

The doors were thrown open at eight o'clock and soon after the whole building was filled with students and their friends. No special program was carried out, the guests being allowed to visit any room they might choose, and for the most part the evening was spent in walking about the dormitory visiting the different rooms.

In the social hall connected with the building, President Thomas and other members of the faculty welcomed the guests. In the dining hall refreshments of punch and wafers were served.

An enjoyable feature of the evening was the music furnished by the College Mandolin Club of seven pieces.

To Mrs. M. O. Mason, the matron of Hepburn Hall, and to the Misses Ada and Jennie Bristol, belongs the credit for the success of the evening.

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